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From: WASHINGTON

To: MOSCOW

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To: [Unidentified name][i]

1. The position of the "LAMUT" and the "UZBEKISTAN" is hopeless. Both vessels are completely smashed up. The crews of both vessels have been taken off; a woman from the "LAMUT" was drowned.

2. The icebreaker "JOSEPH STALIN" on 4th April arrived in AKUTAN [B# where] [5 groups unrecovered].

No. 260

[Unidentified name][ii]

Comments:

[i] Unidentified name: Name No. 45.
[ii] Unidentified name: Name No. 85.

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